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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: BAGHDAD RAPID TRANSIT SYSTEM (BRTS)

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6A. WRITE TO -- MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT, BAGHDAD

CABLE - NAKIL BAGHDAD

6B. OFFICER IN CHARGE OF TENDERS

6C. MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT, BAGHDAD

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10. SPECIALIZED ENGINEERING CONSULTANTS INVITED TO
SUBMIT FIRM PRICE OFFERS FOR STUDY, DESIGN, CREATION
OF TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS AND OVERALL SUPERVISION
OF CONSTRUCTION FOR BAGHDAD RAPID TRANSIT SYSTEM
(BRTS) PROJECT. CONSULTANTS REQUIRED FURNISH
FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS AND INFORMATION IN DETAIL:

- DETAILS OF ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR PROJECTS
OF SIMILAR NATURE RENDERED IN OTHER COUNTRIES
INDICATING TOTAL CONSTRUCTION COST OF EACH

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PROJECT, LENGTH OF NETWORK, YEAR OF CONSTRUCTION,

PERIOD OF EXECUTION, CAPACITY OF LINES, PARTICULARS
OF ELECTRIC SYSTEM, ROLLING STOCK AND SIGNALLING.
LIST OF SUB-CONTRACTORS PARTICIPATING IN THE WORK.
- NAMES AND QUALIFICATIONS OF STAFF INVOLVED IN
STUDIES AND SUPERVISION OF THE PROJECT. THEIR
PREVIOUS AND PRESENT JOB DESCRIPTION.
- PART OF PERCENTAGE OF WORK OR STUDIES TO BE CARRIED
OUT BY THE CONSULTANT AND PART OR PERCENTAGE OF
WORK TO BE CARRIED OUT BY SUB-CONTRACTORS.
- CONSULTANT TO INDICATE OR DESCRIBE WORK OR SERVICES
THAT WILL BE RENDERED IN IRAQ BY IRAQI TECHNICAL
OFFICES AND CONTRACTORS.

COMMENT: GIVEN COMPLEXITY OF UNDERTAKING AND REQUIREMENT
THAT IT MUST BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH POLISH-CREATED MASTER
PLAN FOR BAGHDAD, BELIEVE IT ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL THAT
SERIOUSLY INTERESTED U.S. FIRMS COME ASAP TO BAGHDAD FOR ON
SPOT PRELIMINARY DISCUSSIONS WITH MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT
OFFICIALS. WRITTEN REQUESTS FOR MORE INFO THAN WHAT IS IN
TENDER DOCUMENTS WILL BE WASTE OF TIME - GIVEN URGENCY OF
PROJECT AND FACT THAT MAJOR INTERNATIONAL COMPETITORS ARE
WILLING COME TO BAGHDAD WITHOUT FURTHER ADO.

11. TENDER FUNDED BY GOVERNMENT. ONE COPY OF TENDER
DOCUMENTS AIRMAILED USDOC. INTERESTED U.S. FIRMS ADVISED
CABLE MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT SEEKING OWN COPY OF TENDER
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